**To:** Hodgkiss, Kathy[Hodgkiss.Kathy@epa.gov]; Melvin, Karen[Melvin.Karen@epa.gov]

From: Rose, Kenneth

**Sent:** Fri 3/7/2014 7:52:59 PM

Subject: FW: Media inquiry from WOWK-TV

Kathy and Karen,

It is my understanding that Bonnie and Jack have discussed this media inquiry on Charleston to frame a response to the WOWK reporter. As you will see, the reporter appears to be asking about an SOP that EPA is developing related to an air method for testing for and analyzing MCHM.

I was with Bonnie at another meeting today and informed/reminded her of Senator Rockefeller's letter that has asked about air testing and to which CDC is crafting a reply. My concern is that the reply to the reporter and the senator not differ and since no one has seen the CDC response I am a bit concerned. Bonnie tells me she will be reaching out to ATSDR before any response is made to the reporter.

I wanted you to be aware of this. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,

Ken

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From: Kelly, Jack (R3 Phila.)

Sent: Thursday, March 06, 2014 6:24 PM

To: Caporale, Cynthia; Seneca, Roy

Cc: Singhvi, Raj; Smith, Bonnie; White, Terri-A; Rose, Kenneth; Burns, Francis

**Subject:** Re: Media inquiry from WOWK-TV

I can report out on this tomorrow.

From: Caporale, Cynthia

Sent: Thursday, March 6, 2014 5:07:33 PM

To: Seneca, Roy

Cc: Singhvi, Raj; Smith, Bonnie; White, Terri-A; Rose, Kenneth; Kelly, Jack (R3 Phila.)

Subject: RE: Media inquiry from WOWK-TV

EPA ERT (Raj) did draft an SOP for an air method. I will need to check with Jack Kelly about whether it can be released and the exact purpose.

From: Seneca, Roy

Sent: Thursday, March 06, 2014 3:17 PM

To: Caporale, Cynthia

Cc: Singhvi, Raj; Smith, Bonnie; White, Terri-A; Rose, Kenneth

Subject: Media inquiry from WOWK-TV

Importance: High

Cynthia – I work in the Region 3 press office and I am trying to get a response for this reporter from a Charleston TV station, but I am not really sure what she is talking about. I think this email was originally supposed to be sent to you. Check out the email and let me know if you can help us develop a response. Please copy Bonnie Smith on your response. Thanks. – Roy

Roy Seneca

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From: Alanna Autler Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
Sent: Thursday, March 6, 2014 11:15:39 AM **To:** Werner, Lora; caporla.cynthia@epa.gov

Subject: SOP for crude MCHM

Hey Lora and Cynthia,

My name is Alanna and I'm a reporter for WOWK in Charleston. I am hoping to ask about an SOP conducted by Raj Singhvi for 4-MCHM in late January. What is the purpose for a SOP method and what were the results of this endeavor?

Please give me a call back at your soonest convenience. Thanks. My deadline is at 2;30.

Alanna Autler

Reporter - WOWK 13News

Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

